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## PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Koutaro HACHIYA

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Examiner: Fred O. Ferris, III

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MATRIX REORDERING AND ELECTRONIC  
CIRCUIT SIMULATION

### SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS

#### MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE

#### ATTN: OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Submitted herewith please find 9 sheets of replacement drawings in compliance with  
37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these  
drawings.

The submitted drawings incorporate the proposed drawing changes approved in Paper  
No. 02242006.

Respectfully submitted,

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